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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM RECEIVED OCT 26 SENT ACTION AMEMBASSY YAOUNDE,
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QUOTE:

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NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT TOM JOHNSON HAS REQUESTED
USIS ASSISTANCE. TODAY'S NYT CARRIES FULL-PAGE STORY
CONCERNING THE AFO A KOM, SACRED WOODEN CARVING STOLEN FROM
WEST CAMEROON VILLAGE OF LAIKOM SIX YEARS AGO AND NOW ON
SALE IN NEW YORK CITY FOR DOLS 60,000. JOHNSON, WHO PLANS VISIT
YAOUNDE SHORTLY, DESIRES KNOW IF GOVERNMENT KNOWS OF STORY,
IF IT HAS REACTED AND IF SO, NATURE REACTION. ADVISE.
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